

ANNUAL REPORTS
of the
Town of Newbury
New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
December 31, 1946

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Annual Reports

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENT
CEMETERY TRUSTEES
LIBRARY TRUSTEES

FOR THE

Town of Newbury

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Together With a Report of the
SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1946

AND THE

Vital Statistics for the Year 1946

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM	Term expires 1947
ALBERT W. CHENEY	Term expires 1948
FREDERICK S. COOK	Term expires 1949

Representative

ALBERT W. CHENEY

Moderator

OSCAR A. COLBURN

Town Clerk

HERBERT E. BROOK

Town Treasurer

SHIRLEY E. BROOK

Tax Collector

JOSEPH HORTON

Road Agent

MERTON E. PERKINS

Supervisors

MOSES H. BLY	ERNESTINE S. MERRILL
WILLIAM P. EATON	

Auditors

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN	JAMES D. BIXBY
WILFRED K. ROLLINS	

Library Trustees

ERNESTINE S. MERRILL	Term expires 1947
BERTHA C. RICH	Term expires 1948
MARIE H. THOMAS	Term expires 1949

Chief of Police

RALPH W. SHAW

Health Officer

HAROLD P. EATON

Overseer of Poor

HAROLD P. EATON

Janitor

WILLIAM P. EATON

Engineers of Fire Department

Chief, GEORGE E. CROTEAU

Asst. Chief, RALPH W. SHAW

Fire Warden

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM

Deputy Fire Wardens

SHIRLEY R. POWERS

RAY HALL

ARTHUR E. ROWE

FRED THOMPSON

JOHN H. NICHOLS

School Board

KENNETH BEAL

Term expires 1947

SARAH W. BOOTH

Term expires 1948

JAMES H. MITCHELL

Term expires 1949

School Treasurer

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM

Trustees of Trust Funds

MERTIE M. ROWE

Term expires 1947

SHIRLEY R. POWERS

Term expires 1948

ERNESTINE S. MERRILL

Term expires 1949

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

[L. s.]

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newbury, in the County of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Newbury on Tuesday, the eleventh of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects: The Articles of the Warrant to be taken at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, with the exception of balloting.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see whether or not the voters will agree to construct and maintain sewage and sewerage treatment facilities at Blodgett's Landing in the town of Newbury.

5. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to engaging an engineering firm to investigate sewerage and sewage disposal conditions at Blodgett's Landing and raise and appropriate Two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for same.

6. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to except the provisions of Chapter III of Revised Laws.

7. To see what action the Town wishes to take in adjourning the Town meeting to August second, at ten o'clock nineteen forty-seven at the Town Hall in Newbury, for further information concerning Blodgett's Landing sewerage.

8. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to installing a larger tank mounted on the fire truck or a trailer to be attached to the fire truck. To raise and appropriate money for same the expenditure of same to be spent under the supervision of the Fire Chief and Assistant.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding One hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town, together with the other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for the New London Hospital.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of _____ for the purpose of Class V Town Roads.

12. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to disposing of property acquired by tax deed.

13. To see what action the Town desires to take in regards to painting the Town Hall and Office Building and raise and appropriate Five Hundred dollars (\$500.00) for same.

14. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to purchasing the Nancy Farmer farm now owned by Clarence Hay, consisting of 79 acres for the purpose of procuring gravel for town highways and raise and appropriate Five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for same.

15. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to disposing of the Mack truck towards a new truck. Five thousand dollars to be taken from the Reserve Fund and Post War Fund.

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,
ALBERT W. CHENEY,
FREDERICK S. COOK,

Selectmen of Newbury.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual revenue previous Year 1946	Estimated revenue ensuing Year 1947	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$178.88	175.00	.....	3.88
Railroad Tax	59.46	60.00	.54	.....
Savings Bank Tax	274.79	275.00	.21	.....
For Fighting Forest Fires	21.61	23.54	1.93	.....
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Business Licenses and Permits	9.25	.....	.....	.....
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	2.00	.....	.....	.....
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	41.01	.....	.....	.....
Income from Municipality owned Utilities:				
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	436.58	450.00	13.42	.....
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	1,085.00	.....	.....	.....
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds:	800.00	.....	.....	.....
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:				
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	386.00	350.00	.....	36.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes ..	2.00	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES:	\$3,296.58	\$1,333.54	\$16.10	\$39.88

NEWBURY, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947 Compared with
Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual expenditures previous Year	Estimated expenditures ensuing Year		
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:	1946	1947	Increase	Decrease
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,615.42	\$1,650.00	\$34.58	....
Town Officers' Expenses	385.17	400.00	14.83	....
Election and Registration Exp. ..	255.80	150.00	.....	105.80
Insurance and Bonds	582.76	575.00	.....	7.76
Expenses Town Hall and Other				
Town Buildings	510.58	200.00	.....	310.58
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	443.55	150.00	.....	293.00
Fire Department	299.91	400.00	100.09	.....
Forest Fires	106.10	200.00	93.90	.....
Health:				
Health Department, including				
hospitals	58.12	200.00	141.88	.....
Vital Statistics	2.50	10.00	7.50	.....
Town Dumps	166.00	300.00	134.00	.....
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance—Summer and				
Winter	9,385.49	6,500.00	.....	2,885.49
Street Lighting	1,168.07	1,200.00	31.93	.....
General Expenses of Highway				
Department	372.28	500.00	127.72	.....
Town Road Aid	594.41	.....	.....	.....
Permanent Improvement	1,023.13	1,200.00	176.87	.....
Libraries	200.00	200.00	.....	.....
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	447.07	400.00	.....	47.07
Old Age Assistance	754.79	1,200.00	445.21	.....
Patriotic Purposes:				
Veterans' Associations	150.00	.....	.....	.....
Aid to Soldiers and their families	135.75	200.00	64.25	.....
Public Service Enterprises:				
Wharf	36.75	.....	.....	.....
Cemeteries	385.65	500.00	114.35	.....
Town Reports	195.00	225.00	30.00	.....
Unclassified:				
Taxes bought by town	30.03	.....	.....	.....
Damages and Legal Expenses ..	60.00	300.00	240.00	.....
Advertising and Regional Asso-				
ciations	525.00	400.00	.....	125.00
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	53.44	100.00	46.56	.....
School Fund	35.00	35.00	.....	.....
Parsonage Fund	24.00	24.00	.....	.....
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERM. IMPROVEMENT:				
Highways and Bridges:				
New Equipment	2,300.00	.....	.....	.....
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN-				
MENTAL DIVISIONS:				
County Taxes	2,941.35	.....	.....	.....
Payments to School Districts ..	8,816.00	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$34,059.12	\$17,219.00	\$1,803.67	\$3,774.70

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF NEWBURY

BALANCE

Town of Newbury

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer	\$3,743.76
Road Agent	242.81
Due from Arthur Phinney	100.00

Capital Reserve Funds:

Trustees of Trust Funds for Highway purposes	3,200.00
For General use	3,000.00

Accounts Due to the Town:

Bounties	5.50
Forest fires	23.54

Due from County:

Poor off Farm	24.15
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Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1945	16.12
Levy of 1944	6.43

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1946	1,310.97
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Total Assets	\$11,673.28
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Grand Total	\$11,673.28
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Surplus, December 31, 1945	1,756.60
Surplus, December 31, 1946	2,371.65
Increase—Surplus	615.05

SHEET

December 31, 1946

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses	\$101.63
Balance of Appropriation	3,000.00

Capital Reserve Funds:

Trustee of Trust Fund Highway purpose	3,200.00
General use	3,000.00

Total Liabilities	\$9,301.63
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	2,371.65
Grand Total	\$11,673.28

RECEIPTS AND

Town of Newbury

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes—Current year . .	\$33,515.86
Poll taxes—Current Year—Reg- ular at \$2.00	340.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.00
Total of Current Year's taxes collected and remitted	\$33,857.86
Property taxes—Previous Years	1,445.87
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Regular at \$2.00 (23)	46.00
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Special at \$3.00 (25)	75.00
Interest received on taxes	41.01
Tax sales redeemed and interest	24.95

From State:

Overpayment on special \$3.00	
Poll tax	18.00
Interest and dividend tax	178.88
Railroad tax	59.46
Savings bank tax	274.79
Fighting forest fires	21.61
Bounties	176.00

PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1946

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$1,615.42
Town officers' expenses	385.17
Election and registration ex- penses	255.80
Printing town reports	195.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	510.58

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department, including care of tramps	443.55
Fire department, including forest fires	406.01
Bounties	77.50
Damage by dogs	8.17

Health:

Health department, including hos- pitals	158.12
Vital statistics	2.50
Wharf	36.75

Highways and Bridges:

4th quarter Withholding tax 1945	63.80
Town Road Aid	594.41
Town Maintenance	9,385.49
Street lighting	1,168.07
General Expenses of Highway De- partment	372.28

Libraries:

Libraries	200.00
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RECEIPTS AND

From County:

For support of poor	108.33
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From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	109.80
Business licenses and permits	9.25
Filing Fees	17.00
Rent of town property	2.00
Sale of cemetery lots	30.00
Income from departments	1,875.90
Registration of motor vehicles, 1945 Permits	2.94
Registration of motor vehicles, 1946 Permits	433.64
Rebate Mark Ayer, town poor ...	100.00
Rebate Trustee Trust Fund	9.50
Insurance Dividends	27.35
George Croteau, telephone calls ...	32.25

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$10,000.00
Arthur Phinney, on Stone place ...	100.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	800.00

PAYMENTS — *Continued*

Public Welfare:	
Old age assistance	754.79
Town poor	447.07
County poor	132.48
Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Marker	150.00
Aid to soldiers and their families .	135.75
Public Service Enterprises:	
Dry hydrant	121.09
Cemeteries, including hearse hire .	385.65
Town Dumps	166.00
Unclassified:	
Damages and legal expenses	60.00
Advertising and Regional Associa- tions	525.00
Taxes bought by town	30.03
Bonds and Insurance	582.76
Interest:	
Paid on temporary loans in anticip- ation of taxes	53.44
Parsonage fund	24.00
School fund	35.00
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Total Interest Payments	\$112.44
Outlay for New Construction and	
Permanent Improvements:	
Highways and Bridges — Robbins	
Road	1,182.10
Permanent Improvement	1,023.13
Tarring Baker Hill, Bowles and	
Blodgett's	2,847.98
Sewer construction — Blodgett's	
Landing	1,769.83

RECEIPTS AND

Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	1,085.00
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	\$11,985.00
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Total Receipts From All Sources	\$50,962.39
Cash on hand January 1, 1946	3,443.83
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Grand Total	\$54,406.22

PAYMENTS — *Concluded*

New equipment—Highway Truck	2,300.00	
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Total Outlay Payments		\$9,123.04
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$10,000.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		\$10,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions:		
Special Poll Taxes at \$3.00 paid to		
State and Interest	196.04	
Taxes paid to County	2,941.35	
Payments to School Districts	8,920.35	
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Total Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions		\$12,057.74
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Total Payments for all Purposes		\$50,662.46
Cash on hand December 31, 1946		3,743.76
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Grand Total		\$54,406.22

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,
ALBERT W. CHENEY,
FREDERICK S. COOK,
Selectmen.

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,
Treasurer.

January 24, 1947

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$5,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	
Furniture and Equipment	750.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	2,200.00
Equipment	7,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings ...	600.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	11,000.00
Equipment	500.00
2 lots and cottage Park 10	50.00
6 lots Block H, Park 10	120.00
1 lot Mountain Brook	30.00
12 acres D. Hart land	25.00
24 acres Lewis Meadow	25.00
250 acres Mountain lots 63, 73, 12	250.00
95 acres Stone place balance	900.00
60 acres Rowe farm	300.00
90 acres Lemire lot	200.00
100 acres Bailey lot	200.00
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Total	\$25,250.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations	Receipts Refunds	Total	Expended	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,600.00	.....	\$1,600.00	\$1,615.42	.....	\$15.42
Town Officers' Expenses	350.00	.....	350.00	385.17	.....	35.17
Election and Registration	250.00	.....	250.00	255.80	.....	5.80
Insurance and Bonds	700.00	.....	700.00	582.76	.....	117.24
Town Hall and Office building	500.00	.....	500.00	510.58	.....	10.58
Police Department	150.00	342.50	492.50	443.55	48.95	.....
Fire Department	400.00	32.25	432.25	299.91	132.34	.....
Forest Fires	100.00	21.61	121.61	106.10	15.51	.....
Health Department	75.00	.....	75.00	58.12	16.88	.....
Vital Statistics	10.00	.....	10.00	2.50	7.50	.....
Town Dumps	250.00	.....	250.00	166.00	84.00	.....
Town Maintenance	6,500.00	1,530.90	8,030.90	9,385.49	.....	1,354.59
Street Lighting	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	1,168.07	31.93	.....
General Expense of Highway Dept.	400.00	.....	400.00	372.28	27.72	.....
Town Road Aid	594.41	.....	594.41	594.41	.....	.....
Libraries	200.00	.....	200.00	200.00	.....	.....
Town Poor	400.00	100.00	500.00	447.07	52.93	.....
Old Age Assistance	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	754.79	445.21	.....
Aid to Soldiers and their families .....	.....	.....	.....	135.75	.....	135.75

Veterans' Association	150.00	.....	150.00	150.00	.....
Cemeteries	500.00	.....	500.00	385.65	114.35
Town Reports	225.00	.....	225.00	195.00	30.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	125.00	.....	125.00	125.00	.....
Damage and Legal Expense	50.00	.....	50.00	60.00	10.00
Publicity	400.00	.....	400.00	400.00	.....
Permanent Improvement	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	1,023.13	176.87
Interest	109.00	.....	109.00	112.44	3.44
County tax	2,941.35	.....	2,941.35	2,941.35	.....
	<u>\$20,579.76</u>	<u>\$2,027.26</u>	<u>\$22,607.02</u>	<u>\$22,876.34</u>	<u>\$1,184.19</u>
					\$1,687.99

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory of Town Property, 1946

Real Estate	\$1,217,181.00
Growing Wood and Timber	41,290.00
Distribution Lines	27,000.00
19 horses	1,525.00
40 cows	2,970.00
2 oxen	275.00
6 neat stock	375.00
32 sheep	270.00
4,775 fowls	4,775.00
1 Portable Mill	6,000.00
62 Boats — Launches	12,430.00
Wood and Lumber not stock in trade	3,175.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,435.00
Stock in Trade	7,950.00
Wharves—Water Systems	2,700.00
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	\$1,317,151.00
Soldier's Exemptions	12,200.00
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	\$1,329,351.00
185 Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	\$370.00
Property tax assessed	34,868.33
Bank Stock	2.00
Extra Poll tax	22.00
Extra Property tax	62.28
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	\$35,324.61
Tax rate, \$26.50 per \$1,000.00	

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for permits for registration of Motor Vehicles:
From January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946:

1945 Permits	\$2.91	
1946 Permits	433.64	
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Total paid Selectmen		\$436.55

Received from Dog Licenses:

Number of Female dogs, 8 at \$5.00	\$40.00	
Number of Spayed female dogs, 12		
at \$2.00	24.00	
Number of Male dogs, 27 at \$2.00	54.00	
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Total		\$118.00

Expense:

20 cents fee on each dog	\$9.40	
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Total paid Selectmen		\$108.60
Received from Filing Fees	\$17.00	
Total paid Selectmen		\$17.00

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT E. BROOK,
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of December 31, 1946

Dr.

Tax Sale on account of Levy of:

	1945	1944
Taxes Sold to Town During Current		
Fiscal Year	\$16.12	
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes		
January 1, 1946		30.15
Interest Collected After Sale		1.23
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Total Debits	\$16.12	\$31.38

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Remittances to Treasurer During		
Year		\$24.95
Unredeemed Taxes—At Close of		
Year	\$16.12	\$6.43
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Total Credits	\$16.12	\$31.38

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1945	1944
Heirs of: A. A. Burnham		\$6.43
Clemmie E. Frost	\$4.22	
Heirs of: Abram Sherman	11.90	
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	\$16.12	\$6.43

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1946, on account of the tax levy of 1944 and 1945, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

JOSEPH HORTON,
Tax Collector

COLLECTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

All persons interested in the following tracts of land in the town of Newbury in the county of Merrimack are notified that the same are taxed in the tax-list committed to the subscriber, who is collector of taxes for said town for the year 1945, as follows:

Date of Sale: September 28, 1946. Year of Levy: 1945
Clemmie E. Frost—Lots

	Taxes	Int.	Costs	Reg. Fee	Total
37, 38, Block H. . . . .	.80	.05	\$3.12	.25	\$4.22

Purchaser, Town of
Newbury, N. H.

Heirs of: Abram Sherman

35 Acres, Pike Place, and Cottage	\$8.00	.53	3.12	.25	11.90
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Purchaser, Town of
Newbury, N. H.

And if no person shall appear to discharge said tax on or before the 28th day of September next at 3:00 in the afternoon, I shall then proceed to sell, at the office of Selectmen in said town, at auction, so much of said real estate owned by each delinquent respectively, as will be sufficient to discharge said taxes, and all incidental charges against such person.

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

Newbury, N. H., August 28, 1946

Then personally appeared, Joseph Horton, Collector, and made oath that the foregoing statement signed by him is true.

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,
Justice of the Peace

Newbury, N. H., September 28, 1946

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1944

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1946:

Property Taxes	\$9.50
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	2.00
Poll Taxes—Special at \$3.00	3.00

\$14.50

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 194614
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Total Debits \$14.64

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Remittances to Treasurer During
Fiscal Year Ended December
31, 1946

Property Taxes	\$1.00
Interest Collected During Year ...	.14
Abatements Made During Year	13.50

Total Credits \$14.64

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1945

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1946

Property Taxes	\$535.60
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	366.00
Poll Taxes—Special at \$3.00	36.00

\$593.60

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended

December 31, 1946 29.88

Total Debits \$623.48

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Remittances to Treasurer During

Fiscal Year Ended December

31, 1946

Property Taxes	\$529.00
Property Taxes	62.28
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	22.00
Interest Collected	7.60
Abatements Made During Year	26.60

Total Credits \$623.48

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

Levy of 1946

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$34,868.33
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	366.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.00

Total Warrant \$35,236.33

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$62.28
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	22.00
Interest Collected	7.60

Total Debits \$35,328.21

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Remittances to Treasurer \$33,865.46

Abatements:

Property Tax	141.78
Poll Tax	10.00

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	1,272.97
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	38.00

Total Credits \$35,328.21

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

ABATEMENTS

1944 Property—	
John Ward, Removed from Town	\$7.00
John Ward, Jr., Removed from Town	1.50
1944 Poll Tax—	
Bertha M. Ward, Unable to Pay	5.00
	\$13.50
1945 Property—	
Robert Simpson, Slab Wood, Had been moved	\$2.00
John E. Ward, Removed from Town	4.60
1945 Poll Tax—	
Dennis Rollins, Left Town	5.00
Theodore Russell, Left Town	5.00
Mrs. Theo. Russell, Left Town	5.00
Bertha M. Ward, Left Town	5.00
	\$26.60
1946 Property—	
Kenneth L. Sherman, Soldiers' Exemption ...	26.50
William H. McGlove, Sold before April 1st, 1946	26.50
Alfred J. and Lena M. Thibodeau, Soldiers' Exemption	26.50
John F. and Bette M. Maxfield, A Misunder- standing	13.25
Robert W. Eastwood, Taxes in Sunapee	13.25
Scott McAdams, Clerical Error	35.78
1946 Poll Tax—	
Winnifred M. Wright, Removed to Bradford, N. H.	2.00
Catherine T. Thomas, Removed to Massa- chusetts	2.00

George W. Berglund, Soldiers' Exemption . . .	2.00
Dennis Rollins, Left Town	2.00
Bertha M. Ward, Left Town	2.00

\$151.78

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,
 ALBERT W. CHENEY,
 FREDERICK S. COOK,
Selectmen of Newbury

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1946

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

George Allen	\$17.23
Marion H. Croteau	10.60
Reginald W. LaPorte	2.65
Thomas Moore, Jr.	55.94
Willie H. Rollins	9.28
James R. and Marie L. McCoole	92.75
Ernest L. Sherman	21.20
Stephen B. Story	92.75
John E. Ward	1.86
John E. Ward, Jr.	29.02
Theodore J. and Dorothy Wolfe	46.38

\$379.66

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

Levy of 1946

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Miss M. I. Aspinwall	\$39.75
Shirley S. Brunell	23.85
Bernice R. Bushway	26.50
Anne Barbara and Wm. O. Brown	43.73
Leon D. Black	10.60
Herman Barton	5.30
Howard A. Clark	19.88
Heirs of Mary L. Carr	12.99
Luke T. Cheney	31.80

Ada B. C. Cummings	4.64
Paul Coleman	10.60
Frank Gross & Co.	13.25
Roy Haskell	7.95
Clayton R. Ditty	1.99
Roy C. and Bernice R. Dunbar	31.80
Frank and Annie Lou Fortune	1.99
Howard and Eleanor George	21.20
Harold P. George	26.50
Mabelle E. Hackett	8.24
Alice Kelley	63.60
Albert Lake	2.65
Heirs of Frank H. Messer	19.40
Eva Martin	18.55
Dr. Thomas J. Moore	9.28
Verna E. and Joseph H. Nault	15.90
Frederick G. Oterson	2 65
Alice King Osgood	5.30
Arthur F. Phinney	47.70
Clifford H. Perkins	34.45
Galen E. and Doris B. Putnum	17.23
Mrs. Erwin Pickwell	37.10
John G. Pike	1.99
Marguerite Stevens	100.70
Frank N. and Mary A. Salvina	39.75
Wm. F. and Constance L. Tracy	2.65
Stimpson Taylor	3.98
Frank Touchette	13.25
Alicia Valliere	62.94
Heirs of Nellie M. Wright	1.33
Heirs of Earle W. Miller	13.25
Heirs of Margaret Seabury	10.60
Edward Anderson	26.50

\$893.31

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

Levy of 1946

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES

George S. Allen	\$2.00
Charlotte Allen	2.00
Frank Bushway	2.00
Leon Bushway	2.00
Dora F. Bourgeau	2.00
Phillip Bourgeau	2.00
Ernest I. Brown	2.00
Margaret Brown	2.00
Marion H. Croteau	2.00
James H. Croteau	2.00
Blanche M. Clark	2.00
Clarence Woodworth	2.00
Eva M. Wise	2.00
John E. Ward	2.00
John E. Ward, Jr.	2.00
Dorothy L. Wolff	2.00
Theodore A. Wolff	2.00
James R. McCooles	2.00
Marie L. McCooles	2.00

\$38.00

JOSEPH HORTON,
Collector of Taxes

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, January 1st, 1946 \$3,443.83

Received from Selectmen:

Rebate of insurance on Town Hall	\$6.88
Refund John Ward, Truck usage .	2.00
Cemetery lots sold	30.00
Rebate on insurance	5.47
Lumber from Fire Department ..	2.53
Dividend on insurance on Fire Station	15.00
Refund from Mark P. Ayer	100.00
Savings Bank Tax	274.79
Railroad Tax	59.46
Interest and Dividend Tax	178.88
Post War Fund	800.00
Overpayment on Special Poll Taxes	18.00
Refund Trustees of Trust Funds	9.50
Pistol permits	1.00
Refund, Telephone tolls	32.25
Plowing snow for State	932.95
Forest fires	21.61
Bounties	176.00
Auto permits	436.55
Real Estate sold	1,185.00
Filing fees	17.00
Temporary Loans	10,000.00
Income from Highway Department	595.95
Dog Licenses	109.80
Rent of Town Hall	2.00

Police Work	342.50	
License fees	8.25	
Poor off Farm	108.33	
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		\$15,471.70
Received from Marguerite R. Hallett, Tax Collector:		
Tax List, 1945	\$998.87	
Interest on Taxes	3.39	
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		\$1,002.26
Received from Joseph Horton, Tax Collector:		
Tax List, 1944	\$1.00	
Tax List, 1945	567.00	
Tax List, 1946	33,857.86	
Interest on Taxes	38.04	
Redemption after sale	23.72	
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		\$34,488.43
Total Receipts	\$54,406.22	
Payments on Selectmen's Orders	\$50,662.46	
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1946	\$3,743.76	

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,
Treasurer

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Paid:

Randolph H. Milligan, services as Auditor ...	\$25.00
James D. Bixby, services as Auditor	20.00
Wilfred K. Rollins, services as Auditor	25.00
Merle S. Rich, services as Selectman	63.00
John H. Gillingham, services as Selectman	325.00
Albert W. Cheney, services as Selectman	325.00
Frederick S. Cook, services as Selectman	262.00
Harold P. Eaton, services as Overseer of Poor	76.72
Joseph Horton, services as Tax Collector	225.00
Shirley R. Powers, services as Treasurer	150.00
Merton E. Perkins, services as Road Agent ...	20.00
Herbert E. Brook, services as Town Clerk ...	98.70

\$1,615.42

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Paid:

Merrimack County Telephone Co., telephone for office	\$34.47
Mertha G. Blake, typing	55.00
Ernestine S. Merrill, expense as Treasurer of Trust Funds	25.00
Alice P. J. Bixby, postage stamps	35.00
The Argus Press, printing ballots	7.00
Merle S. Rich, expense as Selectman	1.60
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	59.11
John H. Gillingham, expense as Selectman ...	83.24
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	1.65
Marguerite R. Hallett, expenses as Collector ..	.60
Vira M. Holmes, reporting estates .....	.90
Bernice M. S. MacWilliams, reporting estates	.10
Katherine A. Crowley, reporting conveyance ..	28.45
Joseph Horton, postage and annual dues	28.50

N. H. Assessors Asso., annual dues	2.00
City & Town Clerks Asso., annual dues	2.00
Albert W. Cheney, expenses as Selectman	10.55

\$385.17

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Paid:

William P. Eaton, services as Supervisor	\$40.00
Ernestine S. Merrill, services as Supervisor ..	45.00
Moses H. Bly, services as Supervisor	45.00
Moses H. Bly, supplies	9.80
Harold P. Eaton, services as Ballot Clerk	17.50
Merton E. Perkins, services as Ballot Clerk ..	17.50
Milford W. Newell, services as Ballot Clerk ..	17.50
Roger D. Shaw, services as Ballot Clerk	17.50
Oscar A. Colburn, services as Moderator	21.00
Herbert E. Brook, services as Clerk	25.00

\$255.80

TOWN HALL

Paid:

William L. Bradford, pointing up wall	\$12.07
Public Service Company, lights ...	14.96
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., glass .	4.85
William P. Eaton, janitor	48.08

\$79.96

NEW BOOTHS

Newport Wood Working Co., lumber	\$2.50
Rowell Brothers, material	17.43

William P. Eaton, trucking	2.00
George E. Rich, labor	18.07

\$40.00

DRAINAGE

William E. Bedders, digging water hole	\$49.00
Merton E. Perkins, digging ditch .	250.36
State Highway Garage, pipe	91.26

\$390.62

\$510.58

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Paid:

Lake Sunapee Trading Co., feeding tramps ..	\$5.94
Ralph W. Shaw, salary as chief	25.00
Ralph W. Shaw, police work	58.02
Ralph W. Shaw, telephone rental ..,.....	12.09

\$101.05

BIRCH GROVE

Paid:

Ralph W. Shaw, police work ...	\$176.00
George S. Allen, police work	87.00
Carlton Hall, police work	55.50
Clarence Perry, police work	9.50
George F. Carlson, police work ..	14.50

\$342.50

Received from:

Charles Reardon, on police work .	\$342.50
Charles Reardon, permit fees ,...	8.25

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid:

Ralph W. Shaw, building hose rack	\$7.82
Arthur E. Rowe, labor and material	17.14
C. A. Danforth & Co., oil	59.26
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., supplies	7.20
Newbury Garage, gas	4.45
The Argus Press, printing 100 cards	8.00
George Croteau, janitor of fire station	60.00
George Croteau, gas and oil	1.93
Richard Chambers, supplies	75.46
Public Service Co., lights	26.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	32.65

\$299.91

Refund, George Croteau, telephone	32.25
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From Appropriation \$267.66

FOREST FIRES

Paid:

Fire at Kenneth L. Sherman's	\$31.95
Fire at Vernon Taylor's	26.67
John H. Gillingham and Deputies	47.48

\$106.10

BOUNTIES

Paid:

Albert W. Cheney, 65 hedgehog heads	\$32.50
Frederick S. Cook, 54 hedgehog heads	27.00
John H. Gillingham, 32 hedgehog heads	16.00
Merle S. Rich, 4 hedgehog heads	2.00

\$77.50

DAMAGE BY DOGS

Paid:

Edson C. Eastman, dog tags and licenses	\$8.17
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HEALTH OFFICER

Paid:

Harold P. Eaton, health officer	\$8.12
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RED CROSS

Paid:

Herbert E. Brook	\$50.00
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VITAL STATISTICS

Paid:

Herbert E. Brook, recording	\$2.50
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TOWN MAINTENANCE

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, Road Agent	\$9,180.69
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Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	204.80
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	\$9,385.49
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Refund as credits	1,530.90
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	\$7,854.59
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Town Appropriation	6,500.00
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Overdraft	\$1,354.59
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WITHHOLDING TAX

Paid:

Collector of Internal Revenue, town main- tenance, fourth quarter, 1945	\$63.80
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T. R. A.

Paid:

State Treasurer	\$594.41
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STREET LIGHTS

Paid:

Public Service Co., 12 months	\$1,168.07
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LIBRARIES

Paid:

Wheeler & Clark, stamp and pad	\$1.78
Readers Digest	5.00
Caroline Stoughton, Book Shop, books	20.88
Ralph W. Shaw, lumber and labor	28.74
Marie Thomas, cataloguing books	14.50
Ernestine S. Merrill, cataloguing books	17.00
Bertha Rich, cataloguing books	12.00
Mertie M. Rowe, librarian	25.00
Etta A. Spaulding, librarian	25.00
King's Daughters, lights and fuel	10.00
Ernestine S. Merrill, balance of appropriation	40.10
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	\$200.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Paid:

State Treasurer, town's share	\$754.79
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TOWN POOR

Paid:

Lake Sunapee Trading Co., aid to Ross Snow	\$141.32
New London Hospital, care of Mark Ayer ..	113.50
State Cancer Commission, hospital care of M. Ayer	192.25
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	\$447.07

COUNTY POOR

Paid:

Aid to Ross Snow, from November 1	\$132.48
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SOLDIERS' AID

Paid:

Aid to Soldiers and their families	\$135.75
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INSURANCE AND BONDS

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, insurance on Town Hall, 3 years	\$93.75
Roy A. Messer, insurance	119.96
Eastman & Merrill, collector's bond bal. 1945 ..	5.00
Eastman & Merrill, officers' bonds for 1946 ..	83.00
Eastman & Merrill, workmen's compensation ..	166.05
Eastman & Merrill, firemen's insurance	115.00
	\$582.76

APPROPRIATIONS

Paid:

New London Hospital	\$100.00
War Memorial	150.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	125.00
Lake Sunapee Fish & Game Club	400.00
Blodgett's Landing Drainage	1,000.00
Blodgett's, Bowles and Baker Hill Roads	3,500.00
Robbins Road	1,500.00
New Truck	1,500.00
Refund from Post War Trust	
Fund	\$800.00
Credit on old Chevrolet truck ...	456.62

Total cost of New Truck ..	\$2,756.62
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Total Appropriations	\$8,275.00
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GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPT.

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, repairs on tractor	\$372.28
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CEMETERIES

Paid:

William P. Eaton, work and truck	\$196.80
W. S. Darley & Co., Weed burner	26.85
Merton E. Perkins and men working	97.30
Robert Wolff, work	29.70
Bradford Garage, sharpening lawn mower ..	3.00
Collector Internal Revenue	32.00
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	\$385.65

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Paid:

Frank Fortune, 1945 tax	\$.50
Clemmie E. Frost, 1945 tax	3.97
Heirs of Abram Sherman, 1945 tax list	11.65
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	\$16.12
Heirs of Abram Sherman, 1946 tax	\$10.60
Frank A. Colburn, 1946 tax list	2.65
Frank Fortune, 1946 tax list66
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	\$13.91

INTEREST

Paid:

Parsonage fund	\$24.00
School Fund	35.00
Loan & Trust Savings Bank	53.44
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	\$112.44

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, road agent	\$974.63
Withholding tax	48.50
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	\$1,023.13

DRY HYDRANT

Paid:

Appropriation on hand	\$150.00
Expended	121.09
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Balance	\$28.91

DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSE

Paid:

Murchie and Murchie	\$60.00
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SPECIAL POLL TAX

Paid:

Interest	\$1.04
State Treasurer	195.00
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	\$196.04

WHARF

Paid:

City Lumber Co., 400 feet plank	\$24.00
Ralph W. Shaw, labor	12.75
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	\$36.75

TOWN DUMPS

Paid:

Vinzey Fortune, cleaning dumps	\$130.00
Paul Berglund, carting rubbish from esplanade	6.00
Shirley R. Powers, rent of land	15.00
George Snow, rent of land	15.00
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	\$166.00

BLODGETT'S LANDING DRAINAGE

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, road agent	\$1,717.63
Withholding tax	52.20
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	\$1,769.83

BLODGETT'S — BOWLES AND BAKER
HILL ROADS

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, road agent	\$2,790.58
Withholding tax	57.40
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	\$2,847.98

ROBBINS ROAD

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins, road agent	\$1,163.20
Withholding tax	18.90
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	\$1,182.10

TEMPORARY LOANS

Paid:

Loan & Trust Co.	\$10,000.00
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COUNTY TAX

Paid:

County Treasurer	\$2,941.35
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

Paid:

Newbury School District, 1945, Dog Tax	\$104.35
Newbury School District, balance 1945 ap- propriation	3,000.00
Newbury School District, interest on school fund	35.00
Newbury School District, 1946 appropriation	5,816.00
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	\$8,955.35

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

Received from Selectmen :

Town Maintenance	\$9,080.69
Advance Money	100.00
Permanent Improvement	974.63
Other Appropriations	6,391.35
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Total received	\$16,546.67

PAYMENTS

Town Maintenance	\$9,180.69
Blodgett's Landing Drainage	1,786.02
Stevens Road, Baker Hill and Bowles Road	4,029.68
Permanent Improvement	1,023.13
Town Hall Drainage	258.16
Tractor	372.28
Check book and service charge	8.01
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	\$16,657.97
Tax paid by town	\$354.11
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	\$16,303.86
Balance on hand	242.81
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	\$16,546.67

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Maintenance	\$6,500.00
Received Plowing Snow	1,129.45
Received from Outside work	401.45
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Total	\$8,030.90
Amount Spent	9,180.69
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Overdraft	\$1,149.79
Blodgett's Landing, overdraft	* 733.82
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	\$1,883.61
Balance from Stevens Road	\$970.32
Balance from Permanent Im-	
provement	176.87
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	\$1,147.19
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Total overdraft on all accounts	\$736.42

SUMMER ACCOUNT

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$500.74
Harold Eaton	340.00
Merle Rich, Jr.	352.00
Harry Ring	567.00
George Labarre	19.60
Walter Leach	198.10
Frank Colburn	291.20
Milford Newell	163.10
James Newell	58.10
Carl Digilio	3.50
Joseph Digilio	3.50
Dominic Digilio	3.50
William Rollins	6.00
Francis Walters	3.50
Hiram Mitchell	19.60

Snip Heglan	3.50
Walter Leach	3.50
Clarence Perry	3.50
George Carlson	3.50
Erwin Clark	77.70
Jones Express	3.30
Mack Motor Co., repairs	118.35
Bradford Garage, repairs	448.72
R. C. Hazelton, plow blades	32.00
Newton Shultis, sand	72.00
John Gillingham, gravel	9.00
N. H. Explosive Co.	58.50
Martin Hardware	8.63
Cassillini — Venable Corp	10.38
E. F. C. Milligan	268.09
Trimount Bitumous Co., tar	44.00
George Croteau	228.97
Zone Co.	25.75
Frank Fortune, repairs	134.69
Smith Garage	10.00
Newbury Garage, gas and repairs	18.55
C. A. Harrington, blacksmith	7.15
Cressy & Williams	19.80
Randolph Milligan, bridge plank	136.94
Arthur Rowe	2.00
N. H. State Highway, tar	302.28
Public Service	7.48
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., supplies	59.13
Fairbanks Garage, repairs	19.55
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	46.81
G. W. Dean, gas	2.90
Phiney Repair Shop, tires	105.92
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\$4,738.82	

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

SNOW ACCOUNT

For 1946

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$771.86
Harry Ring	258.30
Harold Eaton	282.80
Hiram Mitchell	485.10
Ralph Shaw	147.55
Edward Ring	53.20
Theodore Wolff	400.40
Elgee Ward	222.60
Lewis Ansart	236.25
John Ward	62.30
Frank Colburn	2.10
Merle Rich, Jr.	14.40
George Wise	16.80
Dominic Digilio	2.10
Merton Perkins	14.00
Walter Leach	2.80
Arthur Rowe	36.00
George Carlson	6.30
Milford Newell	6.30
James Newell	6.30
Mack Motor Co.	76.82
Public Service	13.32
E. F. C. Milligan	499.28
Ray Road Equipment Co., tire chains	31.52
Newbury Garage	12.26
Bradford Garage, repairs	313.34
Fairbanks Garage, repairs	15.27
N. H. Explosive	29.50
R. C. Hazelton, plow blades and repairs	218.75
H. P. Welsh	4.23

Lake Sunapee Trading Co., supplies	41.65
Cassillini-Venable Corp., supplies	58.47
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Total Snow Account	\$4,341.87
Total Summer Account	4,738.82
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	\$9,080.69
Appropriated	6,500.00
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Overdraft	\$2,580.69
Received Plowing Snow	\$1,129.45
Outside work	401.45
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Total received	\$1,530.90
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Overdraft	\$1,049.79

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

STEVENS ROAD
BOWLES ROAD AND BAKER HILL ROAD

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$218.68
Milford Newell	153.90
Harold Eaton	170.00
James Newell	141.40
Harry Ring	173.60
Walter Leach	134.40
Frank Colburn	172.20
Merle Rich, Jr.	161.70
Erwin Clark	112.70
Vinzey Fortune	145.00
Prison Industries	42.72
George Carlson	2.10
Clarence Perry	8.40
Dominic Digilio, Jr.	2.10

Dominic Digilio	9.80	
Leonard Boomhower, truck	96.00	
Clarence Ford, truck	96.00	
Guy Huckins, truck	72.00	
Victor Morrell, truck	72.00	
Roy Woodward, truck	72.00	
Willie Woodward, truck	72.00	
Leonard Wheeler, truck	72.00	
Walter Guild, truck	72.00	
Paul Jurta, truck	64.00	
William Coveney, truck	72.00	
Robert Coveney, truck	83.20	
William Foster, truck	96.00	
William Bebbins, truck	\$80.00	
William Bebbins, truck	113.40	
William Bebbins, shovel	272.00	465.40
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John Gillingham, gravel	274.00	
N. H. Highway, tar	609.78	
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\$4,029.68

Stevens Road	\$1,185.50
Baker Hill and Bowles Road	2,844.18

\$4,029.68

Amount Appropriated:

Stevens Road	\$1,500.00
Baker Hill and Bowles Road	3,500.00

\$5,000.00

Total Payment	4,029.68
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Balance	\$970.32
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MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

BLODGETT'S LANDING DRAINAGE

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$213.31
Harold Eaton	102.90
Harry Ring	145.60
Erwin Clark	150.50
Walter Leach	131.60
Frank Colburn	131.60
Milford Newell	116.20
Merle Rich, Jr.	143.50
George Allen	5.60
Dyar Sales, culverts	154.26
Prison Industries, pipe	331.06
George Croteau, gas	32.62
N. H. State Garage, truck pipe	127.27

\$1,786.02

Withholding tax 52.20

\$1,733.82

Appropriation 1,000.00

Overdraft \$733.82

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$175.13
Harold Eaton	89.60
Walter Leach	112.70
Frank Colburn	132.30
Milford Newell	76.30
Erwin Clark	100.80
Harry Ring	117.60
Merle Rich, Jr.	107.10

James Newell	64.40
Prison Industries, culverts	47.20
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	\$1,023.13
Withholding tax	48.50
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	\$974.63
Amount Appropriated	\$1,200.00
Amount spent	1,023.13
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Balance	\$176.87

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

TOWN HALL DRAINAGE

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$48.16
Harry Ring	51.80
Harold Eaton	40.60
Milford Newell	34.30
Merle Rich, Jr.	42.70
Frank Colburn	20.30
Walter Leach	20.30
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	\$258.16
Withholding tax	7.80
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	\$250.36

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

TRACTOR ACCOUNT

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	\$36.52
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Merle Rich, Jr.	30.80
Cassillini-Venable Corp.	309.16
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	\$372.28

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

T. R. A.

Paid:

Merton E. Perkins	107.11
Merle Rich, Jr.	11.90
Frank Colburn	93.70
Harry Ring	16.10
Milford Newell	58.10
Harold Eaton	72.10
Hiram Mitchell	13.30
Walter Leach	53.20
George Savage, grader operator	25.00
Robert Goss, grader operator	10.00
Howard Bickford, grader operator	42.00
State Grader	150.00
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	\$652.51

MERTON E. PERKINS,
Road Agent

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Newbury, N. H., January 7, 1947

We, the auditors of the Town of Newbury, have this day audited the books of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Road Agent, Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Trustees of Trust Funds for 1946, cast their figures, compared their vouchers and found the same correct.

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,
JAMES D. BIXBY,
WILFRED K. ROLLINS,
Auditors

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Newbury, N. H., on December 31, 1946

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Begin- ning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Oct. 2, 1903	Martha Hastings, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$100.00	2 1/2 %	22.68	.44	....	23.12
Feb. 15, 1911	Hattie B. Colby, lot in Bean Cemetery	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	8.76	2 %	1.75	2.50	....	4.25
Feb. 15, 1911	N. P. Blodgett, lot in Bean Cemetery ..	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2 %	29.11	.74	....	29.85
Feb. 15, 1911	Joseph Bean, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50.00	2 %	.51	1.26	....	1.77
Feb. 15, 1915	Eliza A. Merrill, lot So. Newbury Cem.	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2 %	23.96	.46	....	24.42
Feb. 15, 1916	Lottie Morse, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	15.00	2 %	.51	1.26	....	1.77
Feb. 15, 1916	Alice Sanborn, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	175.00	2 1/2 %	59.94	1.48	....	61.42
May 15, 1916	I. F. Blodgett, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 %	3.61	4.36	....	7.97
May 15, 1916	Sarah B. Cilley, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2 %	38.20	.76	....	38.96
July 17, 1917	Wm. F. Thisell, lot in Bean Cemetery.	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 %	4.49	.08	....	8.75
July 17, 1917	E. H. Messer, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2 %	.51	1.26	.50	4.57
July 17, 1917	H. B. Cheney, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 %	28.58	.56	....	29.14
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	.50	3.75
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2 %	5.33	.10	....	5.43
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	500.00	2 1/2 %	1.26	1.26	.50	2.02
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	500.00	2 1/2 %	92.26	1.84	....	94.10
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	2.30	12.50	....	14.80
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	22.99	.44	....	23.43
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	....	4.25
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	5.53	.10	....	5.63
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	.50	3.75
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	30.42	.57	2.50	28.49
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	....	2.50	.50	2.00

July 20	1925	James W. Bean, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2 %	7.87	.14	8.01
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	4.25
Dec. 31,	1926	Etta Blodgett, lot in Newbury Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2 %	75.33	1.50	76.83
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 1/2 %	2.55	5.00	7.05
Dec. 31,	1927	Louisa Rowe, lot in Newbury Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2 %	69.77	1.38	71.15
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 1/2 %	2.55	5.00	7.05
Jan. 31,	1931	Melissa Bean and Henry Foster, lot in So. Newbury Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	11.22	2 1/2 %	11.22	.22	11.44
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	3.75
Jan. 31,	1931	Etta Whedon, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	2.67	2 %	2.67	...	2.67
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	1.11	2 1/2 %	1.11	.86	2.47
Aug. 20,	1932	George E. Kidder, lot So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	3.25	2 %	3.25	.06	3.31
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2 %	.49	1.24	1.23
June 14,	1935	Wesley E. Cilley, lot So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	2.92	2 %	2.92	...	2.92
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	3.75
Jan. 2,	1936	Ira Gillingham, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	4.08	2 %	4.08	.08	4.16
			U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	1.75	2.50	3.75
May 26,	1939	Rev. Jonathan Rowe, lot Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	3.20	2 %	3.20	2.06	4.76
May 26,	1939	John Stevens, lot in Newbury Cemetery	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	29.47	2 %	29.47	8.58	37.55
May 26,	1939	Town of Newbury, To maintain Fence in Newbury Cemetery	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	1.35	2 %	1.35	10.42	11.77
May 26,	1939	Harry O. Russell, lot So. Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	100.00	2 %	4.82	2.08	6.40
Aug. 30,	1939	Cyrus B. Leach and Thomas J. Leach, lot in Bean Cemetery	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	3.19	2 %	3.19	2.06	5.25
Aug. 30,	1939	Dr. Wm. Leach, lot Baker Hill Cemetery	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	10.15	2 %	10.15	10.21	20.36
Aug. 30,	1939	Martina M. Gilbreath, lot So. New. Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	2.25	2 %	2.25	1.04	2.79
Jan. 2,	1941	Fred Huff, lot Newbury Cemetery	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	50.00	2 %	2.59	1.04	3.13
Jan. 2,	1941	Edson H. Cheney, lot So. Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	300.00	2 %	11.68	6.24	14.92
April 19,	1946	Weston Cheney, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	Sugar River Savings Bank	100.00	2 %	...	1.00	1.00
Mar. 1945		Town of Newbury, Post War Fund ...	Sugar River Savings Bank	4,000.00	2 %	44.40	84.11	128.51
Feb. 1944		Town of Newbury, Post War Fund ..	U. S. Sav. Bond "Ser. G"	3,000.00	2 1/2 %	112.50	75.00	187.50
TOTALS				\$11,723.76	***	\$799.85	\$277.29	\$14.50 \$1,062.64

Pd. Selectmen
from Principal

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 6, 1947.

MERTIE M. ROWE,
SHIRLEY R. POWERS,
ERNESTINE S. MERRILL,
Trustees.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

Henry Burke	132 miles	8 hours
Mark Ayer	10 miles	3 hours
Soldiers' Aid	170 miles	18 hours
Frank-Julia Weeks	60 miles	4 hours
Ethel Huff	124 miles	10 hours
Ross Snow	36 miles	3 hours

532 miles	46 hours
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HAROLD P. EATON,
Overseer of Poor

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

1946

Removing rubbish barrels from Lake Sunapee	3 hours	6 miles
Blodgett's, Reta Trudell	2 hours	16 hours
Inspection—Edgemont cottages	2 hours	12 hours

HAROLD P. EATON,
Health Officer

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

1946 Fires attended by NEWBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT

- Jan. 2 Chimney fire at Carlton Hall's. 7:15 P. M.
Apparatus and 5 men responded. No damage.
- Feb. 20 Chimney fire at Ruth Clifford's. 11:00 A. M. 16
men responded. No damage.
- Mar. 30 Grass fire at Kenneth Sherman's. 1:37 P. M.
Apparatus and 40 men responded.
- Apr. 14 Grass fire at Knott's field. Apparatus and 40
men responded.
- July 5 Fire at Reece's Cottage. 5:30 P. M. Apparatus
and 35 men responded. Total loss. Damage
estimated for Cottage and car, \$3,000.00.
- Nov. 10 Fire at Mellor's. The so-called Nellie Rowe's
place. 11:30 A. M. Apparatus and 45 men
responded. Total loss. Damage estimated at
\$5,000.00.
- Dec. 30 Chimney fire at George Croteau's. 8:30 A. M.
No damage.
7 fires attended during 1946.

I take this opportunity to THANK each one in assisting
the "NEWBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT" during 1946.

GEORGE E. CROTEAU,
Chief.

HELP YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN PREVENT FOREST FIRES—IT PAYS

Prevention is one of the most important phases of all fire effort. This is particularly true of forest fire control work. Preventing forest fires preserves valuable forest growth and other property, conserves man power and permits their use in productive channels, saves taxpayers' money and conserves fire fighting equipment.

The prevention of forest fires is the most important and difficult part of the work of your forest fire warden who heads a local organization set up primarily for the security of your community's forest property. Appointed by the State Forester, upon recommendation of the Selectmen, he is charged by law with the responsibility of local administration of forest fire laws, fire prevention and suppression. In his work he is aided by deputy forest fire wardens who, in emergency, may assume his power and authority. The warden is guided in his work by instructions received from the State Forester and by the District Fire Chief who represents the State Forester.

The importance and value of the work of the forest fire warden and his deputies is, perhaps, best appreciated during hazardous periods when fire danger is greatest. The public, however, looks to him at all times for speedy and economical suppression of going fires.

To properly fulfill his mission, the warden needs the generous and understanding cooperation of the public at large. He attempts to secure this cooperation by the posting of caution notices, news items and by word of mouth, always carefully explaining the necessity of restrictions imposed. In the matter of giving cooperation, however, the public often fails. The record shows that an average of 7,300 acres of woodland are burned over by forest fires in New Hampshire each year. Analysis of fire causes reveal the fact that more than

98 percent of all forest fires are, consistently, the result of human carelessness and are preventable.

The careless smoker fails to properly extinguish his cigar, cigarette or pipe ashes or thoughtlessly throws them from the car window; the debris burner fails or refuses to consult the warden, as the law requires when the ground is not covered with snow, before attempting to burn; campers fail to properly extinguish their fires or frequently build fires when conditions are unfavorable.

The elimination of human causes from the forest fire problem is the answer. This is not as difficult of accomplishment as it might appear at first glance. Let each one who reads this—

1. Use ordinary common sense with fire in and near woodland.
2. Comply with requirements on the use of fire in and near woodland and when the ground is not covered with snow, secure written permission to burn from the forest fire warden.
3. Be careful when smoking in or near woodlands. Don't throw lighted material from moving vehicles.
4. Cooperate with and assist the warden and urge others to do so.
5. **HELP YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN PREVENT FIRES**—his efforts are only as effective as is the cooperation you give him!

THOS. J. KING,
District Fire Chief

1946 fire record:

Number of fires	2
Acreage burned	5
Number fire permits issued	30

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Newbury qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eleventh day of March 1947, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years, and one for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the District will vote to install an oil heater at the South School, to excavate and prepare a suitable basement for the heater, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

10. To see if the District will vote to construct a cement walk from the driveway to the steps of the Center School, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

11. To see if the District will vote to grant the \$300 bonus to each of the two teachers in the Newbury schools for this current year, as requested by the unanimous vote of the Teachers Association of the seven districts of Supervisory Union 26 at Contoocook on November 12, 1946; also to see if the District will vote to grant a bonus to Blanche C. Bailey, music teacher, and to Ruth B. Whitcomb, school nurse; and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newbury this sixteenth day of January, 1947.

KENNETH BEAL,
SARAH W. BOOTH,
J. HIRAM MITCHELL,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

KENNETH BEAL,
SARAH W. BOOTH,
J. HIRAM MITCHELL,
School Board

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1947-1948

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the District for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1947.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Support of Schools:

Teachers' Salaries	\$4,500.00
Textbooks	100.00
Scholars' Supplies	100.00
Other expenses of Instruction (Library books, pictures, music, etc.)	60.00
Janitor Service	325.00
Fuel	600.00
Water, Lights, Janitor's Supplies	200.00
Minor repairs and Expenses	300.00
Health Supervision (Medical In- spection)	150.00
Transportation of Pupils	2,500.00
Other special Activities (Lunch, play, etc.)	75.00
Miscellaneous expenses of Admin- istration (Equipment, stationery, Union expense, etc.)	125.00
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	\$9,035.00

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	\$250.00
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Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District)	20.00
Payment of Tuition in high schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	2,100.00
Superintendent's excess salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	200.00
Per capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer)	100.00
Insurance of School Property ...	175.00
State Employees' Retirement Fund	12.80
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	\$2,857.80
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Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$11,892.80

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Dog Tax (Estimated)	\$85.00
Income from Trust Funds (Estimated)	35.00
Estimated Balance June 30, 1947 ..	200.00
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	320.00
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Assessment required to balance School Board's Budget	\$11,572.80

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE NEWBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year beginning July 1st, 1945, ending
June 30, 1946

Income from Local Taxation (raised by Selectmen):

For support of elementary schools	\$5,392.47
For payment of High School tuition	1,740.07
For salaries of District officers .	171.46
For payment of per capita tax ...	86.00
Total	<hr/> \$7,390.00

From Sources other than Taxation:

Dog Licenses (From Selectmen)	\$104.35
Income from Local Trust Funds .	35.00
Reimbursements from temporary federal agencies	79.87
Total	<hr/> \$219.22
Total receipts from all sources	7,609.22
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1945	1,586.69
Grand Total	<hr/> \$9,195.91

PAYMENTS

Administration :

Salaries of district officers	\$171.46
Superintendent's excess salary	200.00
Truant officer and school census ..	10.00
Expenses of administration	116.53

Instruction :

Teachers' salaries	1,983.85
Textbooks	26.79
Scholars' supplies	81.22
Flags and appurtenances	1.95
Other expenses of instruction	53.74

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant :

Janitor service	87.80
Fuel	256.21
Water, light, janitor's supplies ...	80.41
Minor repairs and expenses	60.02

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities :

Medical inspection and health supervision	65.90
Transportation	2,045.00
Tuition (High School)	1,740.07
Other special activities	70.36

Fixed Charges :

Tax for state wide supervision ..	150.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	52.80

Outlay for New Equipment

Total payments for all purposes	\$7,653.68
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TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL

PURPOSES	\$7,653.68
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Total cash on hand at end of year

(June 30, 1946)	1,542.23
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GRAND TOTAL	\$9,195.91
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BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Balance June 30, 1946 \$1,542.23
TOTAL ASSETS — Grand Total \$1,542.23

LIABILITIES

Excess of assets over Liabilities \$1,542.23
Grand Total \$1,542.23

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Newbury, N. H.
July 18, 1946

I have this day examined the cash book of the School Board, cast their figures, compared their vouchers and found them correct.

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,
Auditor

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1946

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Elsie G. Perkins, Member of School Board	\$48.56
Charles H. Brockway, Member of School Board	14.00
Sarah W. Booth, Member of School Board	34.90
Kenneth Beal, Member of School Board	13.00
J. Hiram Mitchell, Member of School Board . . .	12.00
John A. Sinclair, Expenses	9.10
Harold P. Eaton, Treasurer	40.00
John H. Gillingham, School Clerk—1945 and 1946	5.00
Merle S. Rich, Moderator—1945 and 1946	4.00
Total	\$171.46

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

Superintendent's Excess Salary	\$200.00
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TRUANT OFFICER AND SCHOOL CENSUS

John H. Gillingham, enumerating children	\$10.00
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EXPENSE OF ADMINISTRATION

Harold P. Eaton, Expense of Treasurer	\$2.25
Eastman & Merrill Agency, Renewal of Treas- urer Bond	7.50
Teachers' Retirement Fund, Assessment of Salaries	8.67

Supervisory Union Secretary Salary	54.00
John A. Sinclair, Expenses	9.10
Harold P. Eaton, 100 stamped envelopes	3.52
John A. Sinclair, Treasurer's cash book	5.50
John A. Sinclair 1-10 Union Expense—Tests, etc.	6.53
Harold P. Eaton, envelopes and Registered mail	3.88
John A. Sinclair 1-10 Share Union Expense ...	12.20
Harold P. Eaton, envelopes	3.38
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Total	\$116.53

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Blanche C. Bailey	\$191.75
Evelyn Harris	554.00
Christine Lambert	80.00
Mrs. Alfred E. McKenney	24.00
Ella D. Perham	774.95
Blue Cross	9.00
Withholding Tax on Teachers' Salaries	330.15
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Total	\$1,983.85

TEXT BOOKS

Expense for books for one year	\$26.79
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SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Expense for one year	\$81.22
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FLAG AND APPURTENANCES

Flag rope	\$1.95
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OTHER EXPENSE OF INSTRUCTION

Expense for one year	\$53.74
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JANITOR SERVICE

Evelyn Harris	\$30.00
Ella D. Perham	54.00
J. Hiram Mitchell	2.80
Christine Lambert	1.00
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Total	\$87.80

FUEL EXPENSE

Total for one school for one year	\$256.21
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WATER, LIGHT AND JANITOR SUPPLIES

Public Service Co. of N. H. One School, One Year	\$45.86
The Holmerden Co., Paper cups	13.25
West Disinfecting Co.—Toilet tissue	6.15
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., Wax and light bulbs	1.49
Sarah W. Booth, Thermometer	1.25
C. A. Danforth Co., Brooms	5.20
C. H. M. Perkins' Son, Janitor supplies	6.41
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., supplies80
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Total	\$80.41

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Martin's Hardware Store, Hardware	\$1.92
Fleurette Croteau, Cleaning School House	12.50
Arthur B. Gardner, Water pipe	6.20
Arthur E. Rowe, Labor on water at Center School	1.50
Harold Falmer, Labor at Center and South School	15.30
The Music Box, Tuning piano and repairs	6.00
Arthur E. Rowe, Labor on plumbing	4.50

Fleurette Croteau, Cleaning windows	3.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Material for cellar hole	1.60
J. Hiram Mitchell, Labor on cellar hole and water pipe	7.00
Total	<hr/> \$60.02

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Ruth B. Whitcomb, Year's salary as school nurse	\$65.90
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TRANSPORTATION

Merle S. Rich	\$1,100.00
Milford W. Newell	945.00
Total	<hr/> \$2,045.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Simonds Free High School	\$1,141.39
Newport High School	598.68
Total	<hr/> \$1,740.07

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

John H. Gillingham, Milk	\$3.10
C. H. Perkins' Son, Lunch supplies	\$30.32
John H. Gillingham, Milk	2.16
C. R. M. Perkins' Son, Lunch supplies	30.32
Bill Dunn's Sport Shop, Games for Center School	18.90
Bill Dunn's Sport Shop, Six Badminton Birds ..	3.50
Total	<hr/> \$70.36

OTHER FIXED CHARGES

Merton E. Perkins, Insurance on Baker Hill	
School House	\$40.00
State Employment Retirement Fund	1280
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Total	\$52.80

NEW EQUIPMENT

G. C. Chapman, Furnace Oil Burner for Center	
School House	\$387.00
Ginn and Co., Work books	1.50
J. L. Hammett Co., Twelve dozen Rubber	
Cushion Gliders	11.07
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Total	\$399.57

PER CAPITA TAX

State Treasurer	\$150.00
Total payments of the year July 1, 1945 to	
June 30, 1946	\$7,653.68

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

Cash on hand June 30, 1945 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$1,586.69
Received from Selectmen, appropriations for current year	7,390.00
Dog Tax	104.35
Income from trust funds	35.00
Received from all other sources	79.87
Total Receipts	7,609.22
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)	9,195.91
Less School Board's orders paid	7,653.68
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1946 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	1,542.23

HAROLD P. EATON,
Treasurer

June 30, 1946

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newbury, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946 and find them correct in all respects.

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,
Auditor

July 18, 1946

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Newbury District:

During the year 1945-1946 the following teachers were employed:

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Training</i>	<i>Yr.</i> <i>Grad.</i>
Center,	Evelyn Harris, Grs. 1-8	P.T.C.	1943
	*Mrs Lawrence Lambert	Lydonville	
		Normal School	1933
	**Ella D. Perham	K.T.C.	1931
Music,	Blanche C. Bailey	K.T.C.	1932

* Mrs. Lambert. taught from Jan. 7, 1946 to Jan. 18, 1946.

** Miss Perham taught from Jan. 21, 1946 for the remainder of the year. Miss Harris left December 21, 1945.

GENERAL STATISTICS

	Center	Total 1945-46	Total 1944-45
Half days in session	354	354	361
Half days lost	6	6	0
No. pupils registered	27	27	32
Average membership	23.19	23.19	22.34
Percent of attendance	96.37	96.37	97.58
Number of tardinesses	44	44	96
Average tardinesses per pupil	1.4	1.4	4.03
Number visits Superintendent	23	23	42
Number visits School Board	18	18	11
Number visits citizens	41	41	82

The above statistics of the one school operated in the district in 1945-1946 show a loss of three days of the school year and a good decrease in the amount of tardiness. The

percent of attendance is good. The number of pupils registered is the lowest for many years. However, there will be a considerable increase within two or three years.

The total number of pupils residing in the district and attending public schools was as follows:

Local school	27
Simonds Free High School	11
Newport High School	8

Owing to the sharp increase in the cost of living teachers who are working under a fixed salary contract have found it difficult to meet expenses. At a meeting of all the teachers in Supervisory Union No. 26 in November it was voted to ask a bonus of \$300.00 for each teacher. However, the two teachers in Newbury District have presented no formal request to the board for consideration, although teachers in several other districts of this group have asked their boards for the sum mentioned. We feel that the people of Newbury are no less appreciative than citizens of other districts of the services of their teachers and their economic needs and that a bonus will be provided.

The scarcity of teachers is increasing with no prospect of relief for several years. It is expected that the few beginners who graduate from teachers' colleges this year will receive a salary of at least \$1800.

In order to help small districts bear the increased cost of education Commissioner Fuller has brought before the New Hampshire Legislature now in session a bill for increased State Aid. If this is passed as written it would provide for Newbury \$50. for each pupil in high school and \$37.50 for each elementary pupil, a total of about \$1800. based on this year's membership.

We hope that every citizen interested in the improvement of our schools and a lower tax rate will do all he can to have this bill passed.

JOHN A. SINCLAIR

GRADUATES

June 1946

June Blake

Jean Leach

Richard LaPorte

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For one year

Clara Hall

Evelyn Hall

Carolyn Hall

Katherine Hall

For two nine week periods

Joan Perry

Wayne LaPorte

Jimmie Wright

Willis Hall

Betty Rich

REPORT OF NEWBURY SCHOOL HEALTH EXAMINATION

The School Nurse submits the following report:

Number of pupils examined 23

<i>Defects found</i>		<i>Corrections made</i>	
Vision	2	Vision	1
Teeth	14	Teeth	10

Nine pupils inoculated for the prevention of diphtheria.

Twenty-three pupils given Tuberculin skin test. (No reaction found.)

I would like to thank all who have made it possible for the children at school to have a hot lunch at noon.

Respectfully submitted,
(Miss) RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R. N.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

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Feb. 2 Karen Lee Ansart; Louis Leroy Ansart; Carolyn
Frances Bagley.

Mar. 23 James Martin Felton; Frank Porter Felton;
Phyllis Marie Martin.

Apr. 14 John Ernest Ward, 3rd; John Ernest Ward, Jr.;
Frances Lillian Barston.

Aug. 8 Norman Charles Purple; George Edson Purple;
Etta Sarah Barnett.

Dec. 11 Catherine Mary Hearn; George Bligh Hearn;
Marguerite DeLong Snyder.

Dec. 15 Robert Merle Webberson; Merle Arthur Webber-
son; Ruth Catherine Hayes.

MARRIAGES

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June 1 Newbury, Harold John Folsom and Elizabeth
Audrey MacDonald; Rev. Norman Scruton.

July 25 Bradford; Marshall Rowe and Carolyn Ripley
Cilley; Rev. Clinton A. Condict.

Aug. 18 Newport; Stanley William Miller and Jacquelyn
Elizabeth Ansart; Rev. D. Gollaros.

Oct. 11 Newbury; Fileno Philip Acciavatti and Natalie
Jadene Green; Benjamin F. Sawyer.

DEATHS

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Feb. 21	Henry Perry Burke	72 years
Mar. 5	Eugene E. Estey	75 years
Apr. 1	Edwin David Stearns	69 years
Feb. 16	David E. Wilmarth	70 years
Sept. 16	Marcus Edward Green	62 years
Dec. 15	George Edwin Rich	78 years

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according
to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERBERT E. BROOK,
Town Clerk

